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11. Embassy Pretoria has received no feedback from the South African government regarding reftel points. On November 19 the text of the talking points was formatted as a non-paper, scanned, and emailed to Megan Govender, Deputy Director of the UNGA desk within the multilateral unit of the Department of International Relations and Cooperation (DIRCO). Poloff called Govender the following day and gave a brief synopsis of the demarche. Govender suggested he confer with his colleagues and relay any relevant views on November 23. The lack of a call suggests the SAG is unchanged in its current stance, which has been to support resolutions censuring Israel. Post will relay any future developments.

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